

## CENTRAL UNION COMMITTEE TO SELECT PASTOR

At the Central Union church services Sunday morning a committee was named to select a new pastor or pastors for the church. F. J. Lowrey is chairman of the committee and his associates are Frank C. Atherton, Dr. R. D. Williams, D. L. Withington and Ernest T. Chase.

Definite word is expected from Dr. Frank I. Goodspeed of Oakland soon as to his plans for coming to Honolulu as acting pastor, following Dr. Doremus Scudder's departure for Japan, and the selection of a permanent pastor. The above committee was named by the board of trustees and the standing committee of the church. At yesterday's service the pulpit was occupied by Rev. Willard Brown Thorp, pastor of the First Congregational Church at San Diego. Dr. Thorp made a favorable impression in his sermon on "Who May See God."

### SUGAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Sugar: 96 deg. test, 5.25 cents. Previous quotation, 5.50 cents.

Capt. Lewis H. Morey, the only surviving American officer of the Carriacou, has returned to his regiment after being on sick leave.

## AD CLUB HOLDS SWIM FEST FOR MAINLAND STARS

Ad Club members will "get into the swim" on Wednesday at noon when the trio of mainland champions, Herbert Vollmer, Ted Cann and Ludy Langer, will be the guests of honor at the luncheon at the Alexander Young hotel. In addition to the visiting champions, Duke Kahanamoku, George Cunha, Clarence Lane, Harold Kruger and John Kelli have been invited. Robert Fuller, diving champion of Hawaii, will also be present.

Lieut. R. C. Holiday, an expert authority on aeroplanes, will tell the members of the club how Hawaii can boost aviation here. There has been much interest started up in the proposal for an aero club and the talk on aviation will be timely. The committee on the Civic Convention will hand in their report at the meeting on Wednesday.

## STOCK LIST IS WRONG AND CORRECTION MADE

On the list of the stock exchange Saturday the quotation of \$140 asked was wrong, says today's list. Relying on that figure it was said Saturday the price paid at auction for Rapid Transit was 4 points above the quoted asked price. The stock exchange sheet correction makes the former asking price 150.

## HONOLULU IS WELL GUARDED FROM CHOLERA

Today Dr. F. E. Trotter, chief quarantine officer, finished taking the bacteriological tests of the remaining 56 steerage and second cabin passengers who arrived Friday on the T. K. K. steamer Nippon Maru from Japan where Asiatic cholera is killing off many people. The tests are taken to ascertain whether there are any cholera carriers among them. Saturday 50 tests were taken and today's work finishes the examination.

"Of the tests taken today all were negative," said Dr. Trotter, "and there was only one sample of the fifty examined Saturday which looks suspicious. Whether this person is a cholera carrier will not be known, however, for several days as more detailed tests will have to be taken to determine."

The 135, whose tests are negative, are to be turned over to the immigration authorities today or tomorrow.

Dr. Trotter is taking every precaution that a cholera carrier does not get by the authorities and the people of Honolulu are being protected by every scientific method. Every vessel arriving from Japan until the epidemic there is stopped, will be carefully examined and all the steerage passengers tested for cholera. The next steamer to arrive from Japan will be the Seattle Maru Wednesday and the same restrictions placed on her as was on the Nippon Maru, when only persons who had business were allowed to board and first cabin and saloon officers to land.

Dr. John S. B. Pratt, president of the territorial board of health, has sent out circular letters directing Honolulu physicians to report immediately to the board any cases of severe dysentery showing any symptoms of possible cholera. Down to a late hour today no such cases had been reported. In case the situation makes it necessary, the board of health will meet to take action, but it is believed there is no appreciable danger as the public health service apparently has the situation well in hand.

## CARELESSNESS CAUSE OF DEATH IS VERDICT OF CORONER'S JURY

A coroner's jury, with Deputy Sheriff Asch presiding, found today that John Galbraith, aged 25, of Honolulu, came to his death August 26 at Pearl Harbor by a fall of 28 feet from the top of a drydock structure from carelessness.

The verdict's essential part was: "The jury believes that the cause of the fall was through the carelessness of the deceased and other workmen on this job."

Officials of the Hawaiian Dredging Company, for which Galbraith and the two who were injured, Robert Kanui and William Noeae, were working, testified this morning that the men had been warned to secure themselves with ropes before they mounted the timber which later fell, but this they neglected to do.

Galbraith's funeral was from Siva's undertaking parlors Sunday afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery on King street.

The two other men who were hurt are still at the Queen's Hospital. They are recovering.

## CRAWFORD SAYS THAT KUHIO WILL HAVE ALL SUPPORT HE DESIRES

"Kuhio will be the nominee and will receive the undivided support of the local Republican party," declares Eli J. Crawford, secretary of the territorial central committee. As far as the party as a whole is concerned it is not believed there will be any other candidate.

Although Kuhio has not yet filed the necessary papers, there is little doubt that he will run again this fall as his nomination papers are being circulated for signatures. Bearing out Crawford's prophecy, the talk in political circles, both Democrat and Republican, is that Kuhio will have the G. O. P. field all to himself.

Another meeting of the central committee will be held one week from today, at which time the general affairs of the party as affecting the coming campaign will be talked over.

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## Three Companies to Pay Dividends Totalling \$462,500

Extra dividends were declared by three companies and announcement of the directors' actions made at the board session of the stock exchange today. Haiku and Pala each declares extra dividends of 6 per cent payable September 1 in addition to regular 1 per cent monthly dividends on that date and Alexander & Baldwin declares 2 per cent extra payable September 20.

Haiku will pay \$15,000 regular and \$90,000 extra, in all \$105,000 in September. In the same month Pala pays \$22,500 regular and \$135,000 extra and Alexander & Baldwin \$50,000 regular and \$150,000 extra. The total of dividends to be paid by these three companies next month is \$462,500.

## UTILITIES COMMISSION WILL ACT ON REPORTS AT TUESDAY'S MEETING

Findings made by Chairman Charles R. Forbes of the utilities commission, as a result of his general investigation into the business affairs of the Honolulu Gas Company and the Island Electric Company of Maui, will be reported tomorrow afternoon in the commission's offices, Kaulaekalani building, King street.

Before leaving Saturday afternoon for Hilo with the other commission members, Chairman Forbes said he would report the findings at the commission's meeting Tuesday afternoon. The commission is due to return early Tuesday morning on the Mauna Kea. Today it held a hearing in its investigation of the Hilo Electric Company, the hearing starting at 10 o'clock this morning in the Hilo Board of Trade rooms.

"I will begin the Inter-Island Steam Navigation Company general investigation Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock," said Forbes Saturday. "It will be a very comprehensive and thorough investigation, the first of its kind the public utilities commission has made. I might add that the company has been very willing to assist us in every way possible, and its officials have been most courteous in supplying us with all the information we have wanted. The investigation we will start Tuesday will go more into detail than any previous one made of this corporation."

## GERMAN OFFICIAL CABLEGRAMS

Yesterday's Report.

GERMAN HEADQUARTERS, Aug. 27.—Western war theater: Yesterday morning and during the night, in north Somme district, after strong artillery preparations, repeated attacks were made south of Thiepval and northwest of Pozieres were repulsed partly after violent hand-to-hand fighting in which the enemy left one officer and 60 men prisoners in our hands. Likewise advances north of Bazentin and Le Petit and hand grenade engagements on Fourcaux forest were without success for the enemy. On sectors of Maurepas and Clercy the French, after violent artillery preparation, and using liquid flames advanced strong forces with fruitless attacks. Parts north of Clercy ejected by quick counter thrust.

South of Somme, hand grenade attacks west of Verman and Devillers were repulsed. On both sides of Meuse artillery temporarily increased its activity. Evening attacks against Thiaumont and near Fleury broke down in our fire. West of Craonne and in Apremont forest, advances of feeble hostile detachments were repulsed.

Near Arracourt and Radviller our patrol enterprises were successful. In Somme district one aeroplane in Bapaume and one west of Rosel were shot down in air fights, one northwest of Neslebr by defensive fire. Northwest of Peronne and near Ribemont, southeast of St. Quentin, a landed aeroplane fell into our hands.

Eastern war theater: Hindenburg's front. On Duona front renewed Russian attempts to cross the river in boats west of Friedrichstadt and near Lennowarden were frustrated. Southeast of Lielin minor German detachments advanced until into first hostile line, destroyed trenches and returned with 128 prisoners and three machine guns into our own positions as planned.

Archduke Carl's front: Only patrol engagements north of Dniester, which were successful for us.

In Balkans Bulgarian forces advancing upon Eastern Struma bank flow approach river's mouth. Serbian attacks against Bulgarian positions in Moglena front failed.

The Italian government has declared through the Swiss government that from August 28 Italy considers herself at war with Germany.

## LIEBKNECHT TO FIGHT

(Associated Press by Federal Wireles) BERLIN, Germany, Aug. 27.—Carl Liebknecht, leader of the German Socialists, recently sentenced to a prison term and the forfeiture of his civil rights for six years, has again appealed from the decision of the lower courts. His first appeal resulted in

## LIST OF PARTY COMMITTEES IS WANTED TO FILE

Before any candidates running on the Home Rule ticket or any other can file their nominating petitions, it is necessary that a statement showing the platform of the party and giving the names of the central and county committees be filed with the Secretary of Hawaii, Chief Clerk Eben S. Cunningham announced today.

Cunningham makes this request because a petition has been received from K. Kaaoemoku of North Kohala, Hawaii, as a candidate on the Home Rule ticket for representative from the second district. To date no platform or list of committee names has been filed, nor have local Democrats or Republicans filed theirs. The latter two parties, however, have a well defined organization, which the Home Rule party has not.

Two other candidates' petitions arrived over Sunday. One was filed by John de Cambra Jerves, who is running for the lower house on the Republican ticket, from the sixth representative district. He lives at Kalaheo, Kauai. Henry Puni of Waihalua, Kauai, also filed a petition as candidate for the legislature from the same district on the Democratic ticket.

## STOCK MARKET IS NARROW IN TONE

Sales of 540 shares of Olia at \$17.50 were the striking feature of today's market. Other sales were limited and the tone of the market was narrow. Kahuku sold between boards at \$21 for 80 shares, Pioneer was \$42; 50 and 55 shares of Koloa sold at \$225. At the session the sales, in addition to Olia, were McBryde \$11.75, Kahuku \$21 and Brewing \$20.50. Total sales 720 shares.

Among the unlisted shares there were sales of 450 shares of Mountain King at 77½ cents and 823 shares of Mineral Products at 95 cents. Quotation an Honolulu Oil were \$3.07½, Engels Coper \$2.35@2.50 and Tipperary 7 to 9 cents.

An increase of the original sentence, imposed for the part Leiknecht played in the May Day peace demonstrations throughout Germany.

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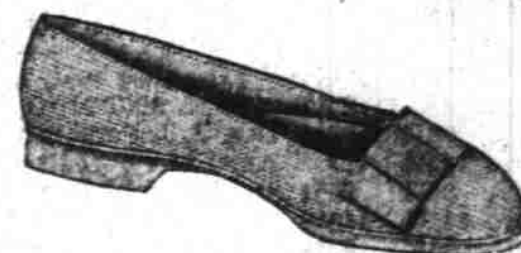
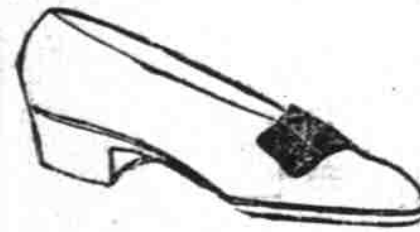
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